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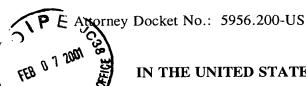
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In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts dated November 2, 2000 (a copy thereof is attached hereto), Applicants submit the Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney (in 2 parts) signed and dated by Applicants for the above-captioned application.

Applicants also enclose certified copy of Danish application no. PA 1999 01278, priority of which is claimed under 35 U.S.C. 119.

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